

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Tournade et al.  
Appl. No.: 10/598,908  
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Title: SHELF-STABLE PRODUCT WITH LIVING MICRO-ORGANISMS  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**LETTER REGARDING INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FILED  
JANUARY 3, 2012**

Examiner:

Applicants mistakenly filed an Information Disclosure Statement filed January 3, 2012 for the above-referenced application. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner ignore the Information Disclosure Statement filed January 3, 2012 including the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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